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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Notice of Appeal received by the Patent Office on December 15, 2004, be extended for two months to and including April 15, 2005.

Enclosed is a check for \$450 for the required fee. A continuation application is being concurrently filed with this Petition. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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